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From: Plate, Mathew [Plate.Mathew@epa.gov]
Sent: 8/10/2021 5:55:43 PM
To: Schulman, Michael [Schulman.Michael@epa.gov]
CC: Johnson, AudreyL [Johnson.AudreyL@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Travel Approval Requested

Anytime is fine with me I have the day blocked

From: Schulman, Michael <Schulman.Michael@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, August 10, 2021 10:47 AM
To: Plate, Mathew <Plate.Mathew@epa.gov>
Cc: Johnson, AudreyL <Johnson.AudreyL@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Travel Approval Requested

Hi Matt, attached is the COVID-19 related field approval for the TRW Site visit Aug 19. I have a Montrose briefing I need to attend at 1 pm, is 7 am too early a start? I'll follow-up separately on a start time.

Thanks,
Michael

From: Handley, Bianca <Handley.Bianca@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, August 10, 2021 10:30 AM
To: Schulman, Michael <Schulman.Michael@epa.gov>
Cc: Poalinelli, Edwin <POALINELLI.EDWIN@EPA.GOV>; Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Travel Approval Requested

Safe travels Michael!

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From: Drake, Kerry <Drake.Kerry@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, August 10, 2021 10:28 AM
To: Handley, Bianca <Handley.Bianca@epa.gov>; Jordan, Deborah <Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov>; Ebbert, Laura <Ebbert.Laura@epa.gov>
Cc: Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>; Ortesi, Marie <Ortesi.Marie@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Travel Approval Requested

Hi Bianca,

I approve this travel on behalf of the acting RA, copied here.

Thanks,
Kerry J Drake (*he, him, his*)

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From: Handley, Bianca <Handley.Bianca@epa.gov>
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To: Jordan, Deborah <Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov>; Ebbert, Laura <Ebbert.Laura@epa.gov>; Drake, Kerry <Drake.Kerry@epa.gov>
Cc: Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
Subject: Travel Approval Requested
Importance: High

Superfund is requesting travel authorization for the following travel to complete SEMD fieldwork:

Activity: Superfund Removal, Remedial, or Assessment Work
Traveler(s): Michael Schulman (SFD-7-1); Matt Plate (QA)

Travel Dates: 2021-08-19 - 2021-08-19

Destination: TRW Microwave Site (Triple Site), Sunnyvale, Santa Clara County, CA

Essential Determination:

A site visit to an Apple office building is necessary to conduct a visual inspection of the building's vapor intrusion mitigation measures. An Apple employee recently contacted EPA and notified EPA that there were cracks in the building's foundation. If true and the cracks are significant, this could impact the effectiveness of the VI mitigation system the protectiveness of human health. The onsite work will include visual inspections to the: (1) The vapor intrusion passive sub-slab depressurization system. (2) The building's concrete slab and past cracks that were sealed to prevent vapor intrusion. (3) Past 2013 to 2015 indoor air sampling locations. (4) The indoor location where contaminated soil was excavated from underneath the building. (5) The spaces between the walls of the three sections of the buildings that were sealed in 2014-2015. (6) The groundwater in-situ bioremediation system (outdoors).

Additional information and considerations related to the safety of the work: Will follow County COVID 19 safety measures. Masks will be worn. EPA staff are vaccinated. Will monitor AQI and red flag warnings prior to travel.

COVID conditions in the departure location: Alameda County - 9.3 COVID cases (adjusted) per 100,000 (7-d avg). <https://covid-19.acgov.org/data.page?#measures>.

COVID conditions in the destination location: Santa Clara County - 188 new COVID cases per 100,000 (7d average). <https://covid19.sccgov.org/dashboards>

Travel Method:

Separate vehicles, one person per vehicle, local travel, no overnight stay.

Link to the full request:

https://usepa.sharepoint.com/sites/R9/superfund/_layouts/15/listform.aspx?PageType=4&ListId=3e44c08a%2D7758%2D4b1e%2Da75a%2D40380e8b2f55&ID=255&ContentTypeID=0x01003C878CA6B4EBB84F8F0920D262A7803C